

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: John A. McPherson
MASAHIKO KUBOTA ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 1795
Application No.:10/576,249	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 8843
Filed: April 18, 2006	)	
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For: LIQUID DISCHARGE HEAD	:	
MANUFACTURING METHOD, AND LIQUID )		
DISCHARGE HEAD OBTAINED USING THIS:		
METHOD	)	July 22, 2008

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated February 22, 2008, for two (2) month from May 22, 2008, up to and including July 22, 2008. Fees in the amount of \$460.00 for payment of the extension fee are being submitted herewith.